INSTITUTE TRAIN A GREAT SUCCESS

Farmers Brave Heavy Down-Pour to Hear Tobacco Lectures and Fill Car.

CROWD AT FRANKLIN JUNCTION

A Heavy Down-Pour Greeted the Train at Nearly Every Stop During the Day.

about one and a half hours behind. A steady downpour of rain preed the presence of a larger crowd,
missioner of Agriculture George W,
her introduced Mr. A. B. Shamel,
co expert from the Department of
culture in Washington, who spoke
thout half an hour on the subject of
ring tobacco, Mr. Shamel's speech
confined entirely to the importance
ising from the best seed. He said the
er of breeding was as important
he raising of tobacco as in raising
or horses. He illustrated by cuts
the tobacco could be improved by
ng the seed from the largest and
plants and from the plants which
in every way the most desirable
the market. He said that the tests
he he had made in his department at
hington, showed that not only should
been plants and selected for seed lington, showed that not only should best plants be selected for seed so, but from the largest seed from plants should be used, as it was argest and best seed that produced est tobacco. He showed a device bind been patented by the Departor of Agriculture for separating seed, which could be made by farmers at tof about \$3.50. (gurther stated that Mr. Koiner would gurther stated that Mr. Koiner would

AT CHATHAM.

Enthusiastic Cro...

Car.

HATHAM, VA., February 21.—The armers' institute train, carrying Comissione of Agriculture G. W. Koiner and Messrs. D. A. Shamel and W. W. Cobey, of the United States Department of Agriculture, arrived here at 9:10 A. M. this morning. An enthusiastic crowd was in waiting, which would have beer much larger, but for a heavy rain. Comission of the community of the communi

Braved a Down-Pour.

Commissioner Koiner introduced Profes, sor Cobey, who give a most instructive letture on the importance of selecting and planting only the best and heaviest self-fertilized tobacco seed.

The subject was finely illustrated by enlarged photographs of comparisons and results. Expressions of appreciation were leard from many as the train drew out and the traveling instituto was voted a success.

Looking for Thurman.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SUFFOLK, VA., Feb. 2i.—A posse last night and to-day has been in search of a man supposed to be Loc O. Thurman, the Norfolk murderer, in the vicinity of Compasiae, N. C., A man from the neighborhood to-day, ANS a plant's has been sleeping in an unoccupied residence, and has been seen skulking around the community. It is said the suspect when seen had some artificial coloring on his face about the hue of clay.

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The Question Has Aroused Unusual Interest in the Institution.

SHOT FOR BURGLAR

Peace Committee Appointed Under the Hobson Pesolu-

for \$35,005, paying the bonded debt of \$29,000, and erecting a smaller building on Washington Street, or other site near the residential section. This plan was earnestly advocated by Mr. Coulter and Judge J. M. Mullen, who was spokesman for the directors. The board maintains that the work of the association is seriously handicapped by the old and incomplete equipment of the present

VIRGINIA

AMHERST, VA. Feb. 21.—United States officers cut up two moonshine distilleries in this county yesterday and carried the operators to Lynchburg to-day to await trial. The distilleries cut up two moonshine distilleries in this county yesterday and carried the operators to Lynchburg to-day to await trial. The distilleries cut up were one run by Dock Cash on Little Pluy River, and Cap Tomini on the upper county of the Coun

RUEGER-MENZEL

Marriage On Tuesday of Popular Young Man and Pretty Girl.

Young Man and Pretty Girl,

Mr. Churles A. Rueger, a popular young business man of the city, and Miss Lillie Menzel, daughter of Rev. Dr. Paul L. Menzel, daughter of St. John's German Lutheran Church. Eighth and Marshall Streets, were married Tuesday night by the father of the bride. The ceremony was performed in the church of which Dr. Menzel is pastor, and was witnessed by a large company of friends of the young couple,

The groom is the son of Mr. William Rueger, proprietor of Rueger's Hotel, Ninth and Bank Streets, and among the young mon of the city is extremely well known. Mrs. Rueger has a box of friends in Richmond, and is generally loved for her sweet disposition and kindly manner. She is the youngest of Dr. Menzel's daughters and the fourth one married within a year. and its Rueger has a host of friends of the model of the

bridal party were entertained at the home of the bride's parents, No. 714 East Marshall Street. They were laier driven to the Rueger Hotel, and from there Mr. and Mrs. Rueger took a carriage to the depot and left for the North. They will be gone for several weeks and will make their home in this city.

Strachan—Willcox.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., February 21.—Mes
Virginia Douglas Willcox was married to
Mr. Theophilus Gordon Strachan this afternoon at the residence of her brother,
Judge Thomas H. Willcox, in Freemason
Street. The ceremony was performed by
the Rev. William Barr, rector of St.
Luke's Church, and the bride was given
away by her father, Mr. Thomas Wyatt
Willcox, of Charles City. Miss Mart
Valleox, of Charles City. Miss Mart
Valleox, was maid of honor, and
Mr. Braxton Tabb, of Richmond, was
the best man. Following the ceremony
was a reception for the relatives and
intimate friends, after which they left
for a Northern tour. They will be at
home early in March in Richmond. Mr.
Strachan is a railroad cierk and a son
of Dr. J. B. Strachan, of Richmond.

Bell-Dalton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOWLING GREEN, VA., February 21.

Mr. Charles Bowle and Miss Ada Louise
louiware, of near New London, were

Ely-Leigh.

Ely—Leigh,

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SUFFOLK, VA., February 21.—Adolphus
Samuel Ely, a wealthy citizen and former Mayor of Suffolk, was married today to Miss Nancy Leigh, daughter of
Dr. John Randolph Leigh, at the bride's
home in Clarksville. Va. The celebrant
was Rev. Dr. Beverly Eggleston, of Richmond.

The wedding was a quiet one, and was
witnessed only by close friends and relatives of the principals.

Forsler-Sterlings.

Forsier—Sterlings.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., February 21.
The marriage of Mr. Wade Hampton
Forsier, of Mathews county, Va., and Miss
Annie Wray Sterlings, was solemnized
at the rectory, Gloucester Courthouse, at
2 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. William B. Lee. The bride and groom will
take a trip North before going to their
home in Mathews county.

Roper—Byrd.

Roberts-Fitt.

Roberts—Pitt.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., February 21.—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Pitt, No. 231 Charlotte Street, their daughter, Eoline Sanderlin, was matried to Mr. John Franklin Roberts. Miss Ethel Mae Pitt was mail of honor, and Mr. Arthur Dozier was best man. Rev. E. P. Miner, of St. Luke's Church, performed the ceremony, after which the bride and groom left for a Northern tour.

Frith-Cogbill.

Frith—Cogbill.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHESTERFIELD, C. H., VA., February 21.—A courtship of long years was happly consummated yesterday by the marriage of Mr. Littleton A. Frith to Miss Fannie C. Cogbill, both of whom reside near the courthouse, Rev. T. J. Nettles, of Beach, performing the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Mr. A. E. Cogbill, who, years ago was Commonwealth's attorney for this county.

URBANNA TO CELEBRATE.

Public Meeting to Arrange for

Public Meeting to Arrange for Fourth of July.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

URBANNA, VA., February 21.—At a citizens' meeting held in the Council chamber Monday night it was decided to hold a. Fourth of July celebration here this year. Committees were appointed and plans were discussed, it is the purpose to have such a feast of entertainment as will interest and draw a large assemblage. Boat racing, games, fireworks, stage performances and music will be included in the programme. The citizens will be untiring in their efforts to give the people of the community a day "long to be remembered," as one of the promoters puts it.

The citizens will vote on establishing a system of water works in the town. There is much interest in the movement, as it is considered to be the most important step in the improvement of the town.

Other matters of improvement are be-

or the water works. The very far-log discussed, which will follow the adop-tion of the water works. The very far-vo-tible location of Urbanna for residence and business prompts much enterprise.

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

SEAMAN WASHED AWAY BY THE SEA

Ship's Flag Half Masted in Honor of a Negro Member of the

ADVERSE TO THE TIDEWATER ATTACKED WITH CORDWOOD

Police Suspect Hargrove Was Mundered and Body Placed on the Track.

(colored), of Norfolk, was Tampa, whence she sailed January 23d, with cargo of phosphate rock. Graves had been four years with Captain Gardiner and was much liked by him. Graves, who was an educated man, was born in Illinois thirty-seven years ago and lived here for many years. He shipped on the Blackburn October 10th last, and signed the ship's articles with his own hand. That is unusual, as it is that a vessel's flag is half-masted for what is known as a common sailor. Captain Gardiner said that

THE TRAYNHAM CASE.

The Funeral of Murderer's Victim Largely Attended.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, VA., February 21.—There are no new developments in the Traynham murder mystery to-day. The police have not the slightest clue that would tend to lead to the arrest of any one. The funeral of the murdered man took place to-day and was largely attended. The city government is much criticized for not offering a reward for the capture of the murderer.

Impossible to Get Employment, as Face and Body Were Covered With Itching Sores - Scratched Till Flesh Was Raw-Spent Hundreds of Dollars on Doctors and Hospitals and Grew Worse

CURED BY CUTICURA IN FIVE WEEKS

"Since the year 1894 I have been troubled with a very bad case of eczema which I have spent hundreds of dollars trying to cure, and I went to the hospital, but they failed to cure and I went to the hospital, but they failed to cure me and it was getting worse all the time. Five weeks ago my wife bought a box of Cuticura Cintment and one cake of Cuticura Cintment and the secretary of the completely cured and well.

"It was impossible for me to get employment, as my face, head, and body were covered with it. The eczema first appeared on the top of my head, and it had worked all the way around down the back of my neck and around to my throat, down my body and around the hips. It itched so I would be obliged to scratch it, and the flesh was raw.

"I would first wash the affected parts with warm water and Cuticura Soap, and then apply Cuticura Cintment and let it remain on all night, and in the morning I would use Cuticura Soap. I am now all well, which all my friends can testify to, and I will be pleased to recommend the Cuticura Remedies to any and all persons who wish a speedy and permanent cure of skin diseases." Thomas M. Rossiter,

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MORE CRUELTY TO OYSTER SAILORS

Captain Otey Webster Charged With Brutal Treatment of Member of Crew.

and Threatened With

teau Klondike, from Deal's Island. He

CHESTERFIELD COURT.

A Test As to the No Fence Law Applying to Huntsmen.

Applying to Huntsmen.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHESTERFELD COURTHOUSE, VA.,
February 21.—In the Circuit Court to-day
an appealed case against R. A. Burton,
fined for peddling goods in this county
without license, was decided by the judge
in favor of Burton. In the opinion of the
court the evidence sustained the plea that
the accused had a duly licensed business
house in Richmond and through his
agents sold goods in this county by sanple only, delivering later from the house
the goods so sold. The fine for each conviction would not have been less than
\$100, one-half of which was claimed by
the county officers who worked up the
evidence.

CAPTAIN BUNTING TOO FREE WITH HIS MONE

Gave Jurors Five Dollars Each After the Case Was

aside at this time, but will thoroughly investigate the matter. It is the first stance of the kind in the history of county, and has caused general comm and regret.

and regret.

Few, if any, think Captain Bunting intended the public tender of the money as a bribe or that either of the jurors accepted it as such. They are all men of good standing and the offer seemed to have been made from happiness and exaltation at the verdict.

There are several other suits for adjoining lands pending against Captain Bunting.

CLYDE LINE STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S NEW OFFICERS

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, February 21.—At the annual meeting of the Clyde Sine Steamship Company, held in the company's offices in this city to-day, the following board of directors were elected:

C. W. Morse, Calvin Austin, John Englis, C. M. Schwab, Thomas Clyde, Harry Morse, John F. Gates, C. M. Wirtney and J. F. Sweasy.

At a subsequent meeting of the board of directors, officers of the company were elected as follows:

President, Calvin Austin; Vice-President and General Manager, Theodore G, Eger; Secretary and Treasurer, N. H. Campbell; Assistant Secretary, E. A. Kelley.

ARRESTED FOR CRIME FOR WHICH ANOTHER SUFFERS

(By Associated Press.)

NASHVILLE, TENN., February 21.—A dispatch from Andalusia, Ala., says that a white man named Cox has been arrested on suspicion of being an accessory to the assault on Mrs. J. L. Bray at that place yesterday, for which the negro Pedigree was shot to death by a posse yesterday. Cox was arrested at Georgiana, Ala.



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BUSINESS IN VIRGINIA DURING 190 Number and amount of policies in force December 21, 1904 Number and amount of policies issued during the year 1945.

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Amount of losses and claims on policies paid during the year 196.. 23 \$56,094 M \$12,573.00

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Amount of assessments, premiums, dues and fees collected or secured in Virginia during the year 1905, in cash and notes or credits, without any deduction for losses, dividends, commissions, or other expenses:

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scientists of the expedition collected a number of fossils of the cretacen, which were brought back to Europe for purposes of comparative study. This has resulted in the discovery that the crefacean fossils of the Antartic are identical in genus and species with the cretacea found to-day in India and the vast ocean expanse which geologists term the "Indo-Pacific province," stretching from Japan to California. This indicates that what is now the Pacific was once a great continent, of which the southern portion has been cut awny by the ocean's invasion.

Give Him a Chance,

Cox was arrested at Georgiana, Ala.

ANTARCTIC FLUMA.

Cretacea From Extreme South
Identical With Those of India.

An interesting statement has been laid before the French Acadamy of Selences as to the scological observations made by Nordenskjold in the Autertic. The

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